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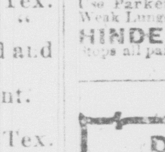
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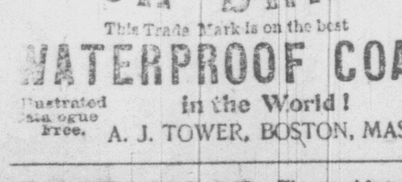
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MATLOCK TALKS.

CONGRESSMAN BAILEY'S STATEMENT.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—Congressman Bailey has been receiving many letters in regard to the appointment of postmaster at Bonham and makes the following statement: "The first week in January I called on the postmaster general in reference to the appointment of postmaster at Denison. During our conversation he complained that after the adjournment of the extra session I had gone home and assailed the administration and intimated that he did not think my recommendation ought to be considered in making appointments for the presidential postoffices in the district which I represent. I replied that I had no apology or explanation to offer for my course, and that I would not retract or modify a syllable I had uttered for all the patronage within his gift.

"I also said to him that if I was to be ignored and if he would have the manliness to tell me so I would not trouble him with other recommendations. He answered that he would take the matter under advisement and communicate with me. I had already indorsed several applicants, but pending his decision it was agreed that I would refrain from filing any more indorsements.

"The term of the postmaster at Denison had then expired and vacancies would soon occur at Sherman and Bonham I had made my recommendations in the Denison and Sherman cases before my interview with the postmaster general, but I did not make any afterward for Bonham for the reason it was understood that I would withhold all further recommendations until notified by the postmaster general of his decision.

"I made a special request, however, that I should be notified before an appointment, stating that I desired to recommend an applicant if the department should decide to respect my recommendations, but the appointment was made without giving me any notice

"I am not surprised at the action of Mr. Bissell The feeling against me in administration circles on account of the speeches delivered in Texas in November has been intensified by my recent course in reference to the sale of bonds. Besides all this the so-called Cleveland democrats in Texas have appealed to the postmaster general to disregard what I might have to say in the distribution of federal patronage.

"Mr. Matlock wrote a letter to the postoffice department recommending the appointment of Mr. Oldham at Denison, which contains the following sentence: "There is, in my opinion, going to be a fierce struggle in the next campaign in Texas between the true democracy, who stood by Mr. Cleveland in his administration, on the one hand and the free silver democrats and populists on the other, and those of us who have the responsibility of the campaign on our hands most respectfully request that only friends of the administration be placed in office in this state.'

"The officers belong to the executive and not to the legislative department, and the custom by which they are parceled out among congressmen is more honored in the breach than in the observance, except when this is done in spiteful revenge against a member of the president's own party who happens to differ with him on a particular policy, and who honestly states that difference to his constituents.

"I would infinitely rather take punishment which the administration visits upon a democrat who does his duty as God gives him to see it than to receive the special favors with which they reward subservient representatives and senators who betray their people to please the president."

BAILEY AND THE ADMINISTRATION.

FORT WORTH, Tex., Feb 27.—A News man called the attention of Hon. A. L. Matlock to Congressman J. W Bailey's statement in this morning's News, where the latter quotes from a letter that Mr. Matlock wrote the postmaster general in regard to the appointment of a postoffice at Denison.

In speaking of the same, Mr Matlock said the quotation made by Mr. Bailey was correct as far as it went, but that the whole letter should have been given out by Mr. Bailey, if he really wanted the people to know just what was said in the letter about him. Mr Matlock stated further that there was nothing in the letter that he wanted to hide from the public and turning to his letter book told the News man to examine it for himself, which he did.

The letter is dated at Fort Worth, Tex., Nov. 22, 1893, and was directed to Postmaster General Bisseil, Washington, D. C. After recommending Col. Wm. Oldham as a worthy man for the position of postmaster at Denison it proceeds as follows:

"It is true that the Hon. J. W. Bailey, the populist congressman from that district, will recommend some one else, with a view of strengthening his political chains for re election, but the democrats of Texas who have stood by Mr. Cleveland and his administration, from his nomination to the present, feel that inasmuch as Mr. Bailey is now in Texas, making speeches before his constituents, denouncing Mr. Cleveland and his administration as 'gold bug' and 'tool of Wall street' that he is not entitled to name who the democratic postmasters in Texas shall be. There is, in my opinion, going to be a fierce struggle in the next campaign in Texas between the true democracy, who stood by Mr. Cleveland and the administration on one hand, and the 'free silver democrats' and populists on the other and those of us who have the responsibility of the campaign on our hands most respectfully request that only friends of the administration be placed in office in this state. I understand it is not the policy of the administration to take sides with either faction of the democratic party in this state, but that it is the policy to heal their differences if possible. This is as it should be, as long as there is any disposition by the faction who are now opposed to the president to treat him with fairness but when a congressman comes home and proceeds to denounce the president as Mr Bailey is doing and declares his intention to continue the fight on the president and in favor of 'free silver,' it is time to draw the line on that sort of a democrat and appoint men who are democrats from principle."

"Were there other candidates for the postoffice appointment at Denison at that time?" asked The News man of Mr. Matlock.

"I presume there was, but I did not know who they were, nor who Mr. Bailey had recommended Col. Oldham had asked me to give him an indorsement and I did so, knowing that Mr. Bailey was not supporting him. As Mr. Baily was in Texas about that time, wasting his magnificent abilities in abusing the administration in public speeches all over his district in a manner that was more becoming a populist than a democrat, I took occasion to refer to him as I did in my letter to Mr. Bissell."

Some News in Brief.

Hon. Wm E. Gladstone, the premier of England, has resigned. Lord Roseberry will succeed the Grand Old Man.

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Gen. Jubal A. Early died at his home at Lynchburg, Va., on the 2nd inst. He was an aged ex confederate general.

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Prohibition was defeated in Ellis county, last Saturday, by about 400 votes.

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A negro, by the name of Len Tye, was mobbed in Harlin county, Ky., by being skinned while alive and then burned to death. He had murdered one woman and kidnapped a white girl.

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W. P. Ratcliffe, editor of the Alliance Vindicator at Kosklusco, Miss., and S. A. Jackson, of the same place, fought with pistols which resulted in the death of Jackson. Both were members of the state legislature, Ratcliffe, a populists, and Jackson a democrat. A bystander was accidently killed by a stray shot.

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Shreveport, La., suffered a $125,000 fire last Saturday. It was caused by an explosion of chemicals in a large wholesale drug store.

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It is reported that Senator Coke will retire from public office.

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Congress spent last Saturday in doing nothing. Not even a fight came up to create a sensation.

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Last Friday Congressman Funk (rep.) of Illinois and Congressman Meredith (dem.) of Virginia were discussing the pension question when they became mad and rushed at each other with clenched fists. They were held apart.

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Congressman Oates is canvassing for the democratic nomination for governor of Alabama. He endorses Cleveland and also endorses Carlisle's $50,000,000 bond issue.

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Grand Master Workman J R. Sovereign, of the K. of L., is on a speaking tour in the south. He spoke to an audience of 60,000 people in St. Louis.

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Geo. Gould has been in Texas during the past week inspecting railroad lines from the rear end of his special palace car.

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It is reported that Senator Chandler of New Hampshire has become a recent convert to free coinage of silver.

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Last Monday, March 5, it was expected that the senate finance committee would report the tariff bill to the senate but an agreement could not be reached owing to the fact that each democratic senator had some pet industry of his state which he wanted protected.

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A petition was circulated in Gainesville and Cook county this week calling for a mass meeting to endorse Bailey in his fight on the administration.

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Capt. W. H. Terrell president of the Macon (Mo.) county court and a prominent democrat has left that party and joined the populist.

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Oliver P. Morton—There is but one thing on earth more cruel than a million dollars and that is two millions.

Jay Gould—My son if you would succeed in business you must first bury sentiment.

Thomas Jefferson—Banking institutions are more dangerous than standing armies.

J. J. Ingalls—In our civil war it is doubtful if the gold of New York and London did not work us more injury than the powder and lead and iron of the south.

Salmon P. Chase—My agency in procuring the passage of the national bank act was the greatest financial mistake of my life.

J. J. Ingalls—During the civil war gold was in open alliance with our enemies the world over, and all its energies were invoked for our destruction.

Thad Stevens—The first victory of the money power over the people of this country was the exception clause on the greenback.

Senator Nance—Let no man question that this panic [of 1893] is the result of a conspiracy of bankers and money changers for the purpose of securing the purchase of more government bonds.

John Sherman—If the people of the United States want more currency, inducements should be offered the national banks to furnish it.

Ex Mayor Hewett, of New York—The rich have had their day; the reign of selfishness is dying and a new era is about to be born.

Congressman Bland—This extra session of congress and this anti-silver legislation has been thrust upon the people as a stock jobbing speculatson.

Chauncy Depew—Fifty men can paralize this whole country for they control the currency circulation and can create a panic whenever they will.

Henry Clews, N. Y., banker—To suppose that the present drift toward monopoly can be much longer tolerated would be to assume that the American people have lost their regard for freedom and their sense of self-respect.

Master Workman Sovereign—Every man connected with this disreputable transaction of issuing bonds should have his name branded with national infamy.

Thomas Jefferson—The object of banks of issue, like national banks, is to enrich swindlers at the expense of the honest and industrial part of the nation.

Master Workman Sovereign—Let us be dupes and fools no longer—let us meet the bond proposition with the power and fellowship of our entire organization, and stay in the fight until we force a relaxation in the power of money to rob the industrial masses,

John C. Calhoun—Never was an engine invented better calculated to place the destinies of the many in the hand of the few than a national banking system.

Whitelaw Reid—A good thing has been accomplished; the machinery is furnished by which, in an emergency, the financial corporations of the east can act together at a single days notice with such power that no act of congress can overcome or resist their decision.

Abraham Lincoln—As a result of the war corporations have been enthroned and an era of corruption in high places will follow, and the money power will endeavor to prolong its reign by working upon the prejudices of the people, until all the wealth is aggregated into a few hands and the republic is destroyed.

Master Workman Sovereign—Millions of our people are in beggary and starvation because labor has been robbed year after year by a merciless power that has grown haughty and despotic.

Banker Hazard, in 1862—The great debt that capitalists will see to it is made out of the war must be used as a means to control the volume of money; and to accomplish this the bonds must be used as a banking basis.

James Buel, secretary National Bankers association, in private circular to national banks—To repeal the law creating national banks, or to restore to circulation the government issue of money, will be to provide the people with money, and will therefore seriously affect your individual profits as a banker and lender; see your member of congress at once and engage him to support our interests that we may control legislation.

Wants The Convention.

CORSICANA, Tex., March 3.—Some days since the Commercial club appointed Ex-Lieut. Gov. Martin, Stephen Smith, Lee Calloway and Judge James L. Harle to consider the feasibility of inviting in a formal way the nominating state convention of the populist party to meet in this city June 20 next to nominate a state ticket. It is now conceded that the next state convention will receive a formal invitation from the Commercial club to come to the capital of Navarro with the big convention.

The committee began hustling on the streets early this morning raising funds for the entertainment of the convention. Subscriptions were given freely by all classes. The committee held a meeting here late this evening to decide what to report to the Commercial club. Judge Harle was seen this evening by the News representative. He said the committee would recommend to the club that it invite the populist convention to hold its session in this city.

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THE country has no time to watch the old parties fight like two dogs over a bone. What the people now need and demand is statesmanship and not campaign taffy.—Dallas News.

IF democratic senators had been bought up for campaign purposes and set to work by the republicans they could not possibly do more than they are now doing to help along the republican party.—Dallas News.

HON. J. W. THOMAS of Abilene, a strong free-silver Hogg democrat says that if his party leaders commit the democratic party of Texas to an indorsement of the national democracy, a large portion of the free silver democrats will join the populists.

TOM KINDER, while waiting for the verdict of the jury, who was charged with murder, died at Minden, La., at 5 o'clock, March 7. The jury had been out since the Saturday before unable to agree Kinder succumbed to a general mental collapse, caused by the long strain to which he had been subjected.

HOGG, TAMANY AND HARMONY.

Four years ago the enthusiastic followers of Governor Hogg would repel the thought of his Excellency associating with Boss Croker of New York's corrupt Tamany ring which has been denounced throughout the country as the most debased political organization in existence. Croker has been in Texas now for a week, during which time he has been almost constantly in the company of the Governor. In addition to this, Bourke Cockran, the great anti silver coinage leader of the administration in the lower house of congress is also in Texas.

It is presumed that these New York Chiefs are here for the purpose of working up a boom for the nomination of another New York man for president on the democratic ticket in 1896. Will it read Hill and Hogg?

Can it be possible that Hogg has forgot his recent campaign, in which he posed as the champion of the "down-trodden" and in behalf of suffering humanity proposed to place railroad magnates in stripes if they did not relinquish their greedy grasp?

Will he now join the corporation boodlers of the east and thus aid in furthering the sufferings of the thousands who voted to gratify his political ambition, with the hope that he would snatch from around Texas the galling chains of monopoly?

Already he has announced in his recent harmony speech, that he had reached the high point of his ambition (pulled the wool over his constituent's eyes) and that corporation boodlers can pitch in and resume their play in robbing the great producing masses, that "Hoggism" is dead, the principles upon which he was boosted into power dies with his retirement from the gubernatorial chair.

A demagogue of demagogues, he stands to-day commanding his political lieutenants to make concessions to the Clark committee. Our readers will remember how bitterly Hogg and his followers denounced Geo. Clark as the corporation candidate and swore eternal vengeance in behalf of the people against the Little Giant and his followers. Now we see Hogg and his gang attempting to sell out their party to "corporation boodlers." Baker (presumably at the dictation of Hogg) issued an invitation to Matlock's committee last Monday to meet the his (Baker's) committee at Dallas on the 19th inst, for the purpose of harmonizing. How can Baker's committee admit Matlock's committee into its councils when the latter has been denounced as mugwumps all over Texas by the former?

When the boys in the trenches, in the past, walked up to vote they were required to swear that they had never scratched a ticket—never had been mugwumps and would in the future support the nominee, though it be a "Hog" or a "Yaller dog."

But the high toned plug hat, corporation brigade can fly off at will for its own pecuniary interest and return at will to work their schemes inside the party ranks.

Though we offer the above criticism we are contented with the harmonizing process.

Let the lion and the lamb lie down together. Politics makes strange bed fellows and we will not be surprised to hear of Hogg, Baker, Matlock, & Co., all joining in the endorsement of Cleveland's administration.

POPULISTS who are disposed to force their candidates to make a vigorous campaign, should also remember that when a poor man spends his time and money in fighting his partp's battles it is a great sacrifice. The man of means in the ranks of the populists who sits back and refuses to give abundant financial aid to help pay the legitimate expenses of this campaign against corporate greed, is much less a patriot.

The United States sent abroad furs to the value of $1,000,000 last year. At the same time we sent to England last year $9,651,000 worth of shoe leather.

PATRONIZE HOME INSTITUTIONS.

The fellow with the patent bill file and cheap blank statements who was here last week was a pretty good fisherman. He caught some for $3.25, some for $2.00, and offered some for $1.75. He sized his man and took his pile. He struck one merchant and offered him the outfit for $1 75. The merchant told him there were two newspapers in town that could do all his printing; that they spent from $75 to $150 in town every month, while the patent man left no money but his hotel bill; that the home papers would furnish a much better grade of stationery at a very little more cost; that the home papers worked for the interest of the town while the patent man didn't care if the town would sink in two minutes after he left it; that all money paid to the home papers would be kept in the town and help to relieve the hard times, while the patent man filled his pocket with the shekels of his victims and left on the next train, laughing in his sleeves. The merchant said under the circumstance he would prefer to patronise home industries. And he wasn't a close, "stingy" merchant, either. He advertises in the home papers all the time and has all his job work done at home. The file, when the patent runs out, can be bought anywhere for 25 cents. The statements used are worth about $1.00 per 1000. —Van Alstyne Leader.

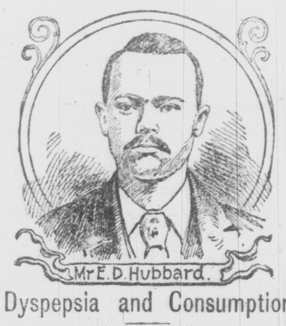
The same trick was worked in this city.

ASSERT THEM AS OTHER VAGRANTS

It seems the great American congressman who is violently presumed to be in his seat in the house when he is in fact in a cosy seat at a distant beer garden or poker table is indignant over the efforts of the speaker to secure his presence and his assistance in looking after the public business. Representative Cummings absolutely defied the sergeant at arms to touch him. Sergeant at Arms says. "The greatest care has been taken to avoid giving offense to members. My orders to deputies are to proceed with the greatest caution and deference. We do not arrest members as though they were tramps or common drunks. They are merely notified that their names are on the warrant and then the member is touched to make the service effective." Let Sergeant-at-Arms Snow quit electioneering at once. There is no apparent reason why congressmen should not be hauled for offenses of official vagrancy, as other vagrant offenders are hauled up. A member who deliberately and persistently refuses to be present and to perform the public service for which he is elected and paid deserves to be jailed for obtaining money under false pretense.—Dallas News.

THE MCKINNEY "DEMOCRAT" and The Dallas News walk "arm in arm." One is a straight peoples' party paper and the other is the dodger.—Van Alstyne News.

The two giants of Texas journalism are not alarmed at the vaporings of the VAN ALSTYNE NEWS.



Dyspepsia and Consumption

Health and Strength Cone

Advised to Take Hood's Sarsaparilla and is Cured.

"C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.:

"I am glad to say that I am in better health now than I have been for a long time. Myself and wife have taken Hood's Sarsaparilla for the past four months, and I can truly say that it has done us more good than any other medicine we have ever taken. I was troubled with dyspepsia for over two years. I also had a slight touch of consumption and was frequently off duty,

Unable to Work.

I spent a good portion of my earnings for doctors' bills and other medicine which did me good only for a little time. My employers urged me to take Hood's Sarsaparilla so I bought one bottle and began its use about the first of April, at that time weighing only 150 pounds although my usual weight was 180 pounds. After using the bottle I felt that I was better, so I purchased five more bottles. I am taking the sixth bottle now and since commencing to take Hood's Sarsaparilla have had only one slight attack of illness. My present weight is 165 pounds, and I do not feel that I was ever sick in my life." E. D. HUBBARD, Laurel, Mississippi.

Hood's Sarsaparilla Cures

Hood's Pills cure all liver ills, constipation, biliousness, jaundice, sick headache, indigestion.

WRECKERS OF BUSINESS.

A foreign advertiser writes us a letter requesting us to stop his ad on account of "hard times." We quote from the letter the following:

"Therefore we have no alternative but to ask that the advertisement of —— shall be discontinued until August 1894, when we hope that things will have been settled, (and the wreckers of business at Washington will have gone home) so that it can be taken up again."

The "wreckers are not located altogether in Washington They are to be found in the money centers of this country and Europe who are continually preying on the masses. They control congress and are also responsible

GAZETTE SALE.

FORT WORTH, Tex., March 7.—Receiver Irby Dunkin of the Fort Worth Gazette and Democrat publishing company today concluded the sale of all the real estate of the concern to G E Bennett. The price paid was $8.599. Mr S R Williams the purchaser of the newspaper plant, pays Mr. Dunklin $5000 cash and executes notes for the remainder due in three and six months, in accordance with the advertised terms of the sale.

BILL SHAW ON CLEVELAND.

The Texas Farmer, a Hogg paper, last week had a cartoon representing a farmer as he stood gazing at a large bill board on which were the following words:

DEMOCRATIC RALLY.

Nov. 2, '92. VOTE FOR CLEVELAND AND GET

$1 00 for a bushel of wheat.
20 cents for a pound of wool.
10 " " " " cotton.
6 centz a pound for hogs.
&c. &c. &c.

In the farmers hand was the following:

MARKET REPORT, Feb 24, '94.
Wheat, 50 cents per bushel.
Wool, 8 cents per pound.
Cotton, 6 cents per pound.
Hogs, 3 1-4 cents per pound.

CIRCE AND THE SWINE.

The Star has no abuse for our third party friends. Their intentions are good but the acts of their leaders horrible. In fact the situation seems to the Star the reverse of a historical picture seen in an art gallery. The picture was of a Grecian fable of sailors turned to swine. In the center stood the enchantress Circe, in her mystic beauty, and around her gathered a drove of hogs, apparently importunate for food. Along came a man of practical appearance, his wife on his arm, and he paused before the picture. Taking out his catalogue and turning to the number of the picture he read aloud "Circe and the friends of Ulysses," then he burst into a roar of laughter and exclaimed; "Well, that's the best joke on old Grant I've heard yet!" In our political situation it is the attractive voter surrounded by a horde of hungry office seekers.—Plano Star.

ALLEN, Tex., Feb. 12. 1894
Editor Star:

In your last issue you charge the populist leaders with being a horde of office seekers. A single glance by a fair minded person would disprove your accusation. No political party ever contained so small a percentage of office seekers as the peoples party. Contrast the two parties in Collin county. There are about twelve county offices to be filled and between twenty-five and thirty hungry democrats are falling over one another in a rough and tumble for these "soft jobs." And more to hear from yet, as it will be four or five months until the primaries. Can the Star name a single populist in the county who is seeking an office or a nomination from his party. We have not an instance in the county where a populist ever attempted to push himself on his party for an office and I doubt if one can be shown in the state. It is a fundamental principle of our party to make the possesion of the offices a secondary consideration to the advancement of just and equitable governmental policies. In our councils the question is seldom discussed as to who will occupy the offices. If a party has no better excuse for its existence than to boost some man into office, it had better disband at once. The populists are too used to being accused of all manner of crime to take serious offense at anything the Star might say; but I think of all the accusations ever heaped upon us, yours is the most ridiculous and farthest from the truth. The Star would do well to remember the old maxim; "Those who live in glass houses should never throw stones."

E. C. FORBES.

The above letter was sent to the Star for publication but for some reason best known to the Star editor he refused to publish the same. E. C. F.

All Sorts Assorted.

Artificial silk is made from wood pulp.

A negro baby show was held in Cleveland.

The green color in oysters is caused by iron.

The gouramis fish in the China sea builds nests.

The atmosphere is about forty five miles thick.

Nero had Bulging eyes and was very near sighted.

The circulation of the blood is affected by music.

Peruvian mummies are on exhibition in New York.

Icelandic volcanoes are advertised for sale at $400.

The Cunard line of steam ships employs 10,000 men.

Only one person in 15,000 reaches the age of 100 years.

Japanese farm animals are shod with straw sandals.

The only stone harder than rock emery is diamond.

One Alaska volcano puffs at intervals like a locomotive.

Egyptian children are never washed until they are a year old.

The Japanese room is heated with a small brazier of charcoal.

Electricity will pass along copper wire 280,000 miles a second.

Alaska has fifty volcanoes that have been active within 100 years.

Kentucky utilizes her convict labor by building good turnpikes.

A rock on the top of Alpine peak, in California, spouts electricity.

The Japanese national drink is "sake," a liquid brewed from rice.

Livingston county, Kentucky boasts of a grandmother 29 years old.

One factory in Richmond produces 600,000,000 cigarettes every year.

St. Paul is the North State city, and Minneapolis is the flour city.

Denver takes its name from ex-Governor James W. Denver of Kansas.

Japanese nurserymen are experts at dwarfing pines and bamboos.

A regular organization of one legged beggars exists in Springfield, Mo.

The vinegar habit, once contracted, is as injurious as the morphine mania.

A man in St. Joseph, Mo., purchased his sister-in-law of her father for $10.

Giant human tracks are said to exist in the solid rock near Rushville, Mo.

Whether the sick ever do or do not sneeze is a mooted question among doctors.

The Western Union telegraph company consumes 100,000,000 envelopes a year.

The horseshoe superatition is prevalent among all races in Europe and Asia.

Nearly 100 different colored sewing cottons can be obtained in Great Britain.

Transatlantic telephoning would be possible if a single copper wire could be laid.

Breaks in the Mississippi river levees are caused nine times out of ten by crawfish.

The motto of the Buckingham, W. Va., Delta is: "A weekly newspaper with two objects, to please the public and support the editor."

WHO?

Who weeps with you
When you are sad,
And laughs with you
When you are glad,
And swears with you
When you are mad?
The Editor.

Who has to be
Both kind and wise,
And never (hardly ever) lies
And when he does
Creates surprise?
The Editor

Who owns a heart
As well as cheek,
Is possessed of a spirit
Proud and meek,
And lives on 40 cents a week?
The Editor.

—Ex.

ALLIANCE DEPARTMENT.

[MRS. M. E. FORBES, EDITOR.]

Address all communications to Alliance department, THE DEMOCRAT, McKinney, or Mrs. M. E. Forbes, Allen, Texas.

We will endeavor to give a partial list of the unemployed which we have obtained.

In Boston 10,000 laborers are out of work; Worcester, 7,000; New Haven, 5000; Providence, 9 000; New York city, 100,000; Utica, 16,000; Newark, 19,000 Philadelphia, 75,000; Baltimore, 10,000; Wheeling, 3000; Cincinnati, 6,000; Cleveland, 8,000; Columbus, 4 000; Indianapolis, 5,000, Terre Haute, 2,500; Chicago, 200,000; Detroit, 25,000; Milwaukee, 20,000; Grand Rapids, 6,000; Minneapolis, 6,000; Vicksburg, 1,000; St. Louis, 80,000; St. Joseph, 2,000; Omaha, 2,000; Butte City, Montana, 5,000; San Francisco, 25,000. Total, 650,500

Now my good people, how can we, as a nation, expect to prosper with so many idle people to be taken care of. They have got to have a living some way and if they can not get it in an honest way they will steal or commit crime. A starving man will do most anything to get something to keep alive. Oh, how it makes my heart ache to see how some people have thousands of acres of land and fine mansions and everything good around them and then so many poor people who have not enough to eat. They are starving by degrees. God never intended for the good things of this earth to be unequally divided among his people; but it will continue to be that way as long as the government is run in the way it is now. There will have to be a complete change. What the alliance is doing, or trying to do, is to get the farmer and laborer together, and educate them so they will know their own interest and work for one another; and work as a unit for the common cause. Until they quit pulling against one another and all pull together, things will continue in the old way. People will still starve; crime will go on; times get worse and worse every year. What we would like to see is more brotherly love among the people. Don't be so selfish; your neighbor, if he is honest, is just as good as you are, if he is poor.

Governor Lewelling, of Kansas, declares the vagrant law of the state to be unconstitutional and instructs the metropolitan police not to molest tramps or homeless wanderers. The governor says the circular was inspired by natural humanity. Kansas has her share of the 3 000,000 unemployed of the United States and these men shall not be put in jail and made to suffer degradation for no other reason than that they are out of money. He says: "I was in that condition once myself in 1865, in Chicago. I was no thief, but I was a tramp. My circular only applies to men who are in enforced idleness. To that class the rock pile shall be abolished in Kansas as long as I am governor."

Rather a Peculiar Death.

MCKINNEY, Collin Co., Tex., March 2.—A man named Wm. Hall died rather a peculiar death near Engleman, this county, to day. Last Tuesday morning he was taken violently sick while eating breakfast Neighbors were called in and from the time of the attack until his death he was frantic and frothed at the mouth. He was held to his bed by force. The attending physicians were baffled as regarded the nature of the disease. The patient's craving for water precluded the idea of hydrophobia.

T. D. Emerson & Bro.,

FIRE INSURANCE Agency.

NEWSOME BUILDING S. E. COR. SQUARE.



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Our trade is greatly increasing and we are using every Good Means to keep it going. We have bought only the

Very Best Goods

And will always have a **NEW** and **FESH** Stock of **HIGH GRADE GOODS.**

Respectfully,

Berry & McDowell.

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The Campaign has opened and you will always find your friends at

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TAKING THEIR MEALS AND BUYING

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PAINLESS Dental Parlors



NO CHLOROFORM, NO PAIN, NO BAD EFFECTS, NO ETHER, NO DANGER, NO GAS.

Crown and Bridge Work, Gold, Alloy and Plastic Fillings a Specialty.

Teeth filled without pain. Teeth positively extracted without pain. My method of extracting teeth is as Harmless as Water. I can extract any number at one sitting and have no bad effects.

I employ no quack methods but work purely from a medical and scientific standpoint. Am a graduate of one of the best dental schools in the United States (Class 85, Vanderbilt University. I propose to do only FIRST-CLASS WORK and at moderate prices. I have all the latest and approved appliances and use the best of material. I have located in your midst to stay and solicit a share of your patronage.

J. T. Taylor, D. D. S.

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Treats Exclusively all Diseases of the

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All diseases treated by the latest and most approved methods. Call or address, Lock box 60.

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Correct Shapes. Best Materials. Latest Styles. Most Comfortable.





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Dress-Makers say: "They are the best fitting corset on the market." Merchants cheerfully refund the money after 4 week's trial if not satisfactory. Call for them at the stores.

Recommended by Ladies who wear them.



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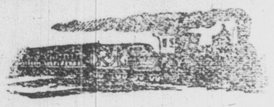
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Highest of all in Leavening Powe Latest U. S. Gov't Report.

Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE



Houston and Texas Central Railway Time Table.

Going North,	No. 13	Arrives	5:21	a. m.
" "	" 3	"	10:59	a. m.
" "	" 1	"	8:15	p. m.
" South	" 2	"	8:14	a. m.
" "	" 4	"	4:49	p. m.
" "	" 14	"	9:28	p. m.

Sherman, Shreveport and	Southern.
Leaves	10:40 a m
Arrives	6:30 p. m.
ACCOMMODATION.	
Arrives	10:30 a. m.
Departs	5:00 p. m.

Announcements.

We are authorized to announce the following named gentlemen, subject to the action of the democratic party.

FOR COUNTY JUDGE.
R. C. White.

FOR COUNTY CLERK.
J. W. Waddill.
John A. Walden.

FOR SHERIFF.
J. L. Moulden.

Municipal Election Tuesday April 3, 1894.

FOR CITY ASSESSOR AND COLLECTOR.
R. B. Davis.

FOR CITY TREASURER.
W. H. Sims.

Candidates of all parties who wish their names placed before a larger number of Collin county people, should announce in THE DEMOCRAT at once.

LOCAL NEWS.

Mr. J C. Wylie, of the firm of Wylie & Baldwin, is in St. Louis buying goods for his firm.

Mr. R. R. Parker, of Sherman, spent Sunday with his father, Mr. R. L. Parker, of this city.

Jim Coleman of Colbert, I. T., was in the city this week mingling with his many friends.

M. Aron, of M. Aron & Co., is in the eastern markets selecting goods for the spring and summer trade.

Dr. T. C. Reedy of Bonham will be in McKinney, at Warden hotel, on Thursday and Friday, March 15 and 16.

E. C. Forbes, of Allen, is our authorized traveling agent. All contracts with him in regard to subscription to this paper is valid.

The marvelous success of Hood's sarsaparilla is based upon the corner stone of absolute merit. Take Hood's throughout the spring months

There will be a meetin at Wetsel school house Thursday night, March 15th, for the purpose of organizing a populist club J. T. Branch and others will address the meeting.

"The people of this vicinity insist on having Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and do not want any other," says John V. Bishop, of Portland Mills, Indiana. That is right, They know it to be superior to any other for cold, and as a preventive and cure for croup, and why should they not insist on having it. 50 cent bottles for sale by R. E. Bristol.

Messrs. A. L. Cole, Nath Board, George McKinney and Dr. J. T. Taylor spent a few days near Jefferson, last week, hunting and fishing. They report having a good time, and speak in high terms of the people in that city and vicinity.

G. C. Thompson, of this office, has a hen that came in the house, some three weeke ago, and laid an egg in a box. Since then she has went on the same nest daily and, staying an hour or so, comes off cackling as though proud of having done her duty, but no eggs have been produced since the first day.

It must be a good article that will induce a man to go forty miles to get it, Mr. E. R. Swetnam, of Fairfax Station, Va., says; a party came forty miles to his store for Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and bought a dozen bottles. "The Remedy is a great favorite in this vicinity," he says "and has performed some wonderful cures here" It is intended especially for Coughs, Colds, Croup and Whooping Cough. For sale by R. E. Bristol.

Go to G. B. Hughes at Nale & Dies for cheap coffins.

MARRIAGE BELLS.

The following marriage licenses have been issued by county clerk Waddill since our last report.

Jno W. Baker and Beulah B. Dillard, Chas. F. Milligan and Amanda F. Ferguson, Louis Hall and Mrs Fannie Dawson, Wm Johnson and Mary Gibson, C. E. Seay and Lydia C Peteet, J R Webb and Lida Forbes.

STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO, } ss.
LUCAS COUNTY.

FRANK J. CHENEY makes oath that he is the senior partner of the firm of F. J. CHENEY & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH CURE.

FRANK J. CHENEY.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1886.

{SEAL} A. W. GLEASON, Notary Public

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Send for testimonials, free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Props, Toledo, Ohio.

Sold by all Druggists, 75c.

Go to G B Hughes at Nale & Dies for all undertakers goods at reasonable prices.

Second Coming of Christ.

MCKINNEY, Tex., March 2.—Rev. E. A. Baten of the Baptist church is conducting protracted services. Last night he preached to a large audience on the second coming of Christ and the signs thereof. To prove that the time for the Lord's coming was near at hand he read prophetic passages from the scriptures, which, he claimed, were fulfilled, and said: "I believe that I shall see the day when I shall have the privilege of grasping the hand of the Savior here on earth." He declared that he was not alone in this belief, but the same is concurred in by many of the ablest theological thinkers. He designated the Pope of Rome as the anti-Christ referred to in the prophesies.

WANTED:—Ladies to do writing for me at home; will make good wages. Send self-addressed stamped envelope for particulars. CAMILLA D. AVERY, South Bend, Ind.

Harmless Shooting.

MCKINNEY, Tex., March 3.—Last evening Albert McAulay and Jim Albright met in the road and shots were exchanged. No one was hurt. To-day McAulay and Albright were arrested and each placed under $500 bond to await the action of the grand jury. The shooting grew out of a difficulty the parties had at Wylie last Saturday.

Awarded Highest Honors World's Fair.

DR. PRICE'S Cream Baking Powder.

The only Pure Cream of Tartar Powder.—No Ammonia; No Alum.
Used in Millions of Homes—40 Years the Standard.

DISAPPOINTED.

Were the Hundreds of Populists who Came to McKinney Last Monday to Hear Cyclone Jim.

Notwithstanding the heavy rainfall last Sunday night and continued rain until late Monday morning, a large crowd came to McKinney expecting to hear Hon. J. H. Davis.

As the time approached for the speaking the anxious waiters were enquiring on every hand about the speaker. Finally a telegram arrived addressed to the editor of THE DEMOCRAT which conveyed the sad news that Mr. Davis was confined at his home in Sulphur Springs, suffering from failure of voice and general breaking down in health Mr. Davis had telegraphed to Dallas for a speaker to fill his appointment but no one could be had.

It was a sad disappointment to the many populists present and also to many conservative democrats and republicans who were kind enough to come out to hear the champion of populism in Texas.

Notwithstanding the failure of the speaking a good crowd assembled at the opera house and formed a central county club by electing J. T. Branch chairman and K. K. Kerr secretary.

A resolution was passed recommending that each school district be organized at once into clubs and the addresses of officers and members of such clubs be forwarded to K. K. KERR, secretary, Vineland, Texas, to be enrolled in the central club books.

After taking up a small collection for the campaign fund the club adjourned to meet in McKinney on Saturday, May 12 at 1 p m.

The central club was organized with 743 members

Three days is a very short time in which to cure a bad case of rheumatism but it can be done, if the proper treatment is adopted, as will be seen by the following from James Lambert, of New Brunswick, Ills.: "I was badly afflicted with rheumatism in the hips and legs, when I bought a bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm. It cured me in three days. I am all right to-day and would insist on every one who is afflicted with that terrible disease to use Chamberlain's Pain Balm and get well at once." 50 cent bottles for sale by R. E. Bristol.

Rainfall.

Rainfall at ad valorem, six miles north of McKinney, Tex for February, 1894 as kept by C. B Moore.

February,	3	1.2500
"	7	.6250
"	8	1.6250
"	11	.8750
"	24 snow melted	.0625
"	28	.6250
Total		5.0625

What's The Use of Talking?

About colds and coughs in the summer time. You may have a tickling cough or a little cold or baby may have the croup and when it comes you ought to know that Park's cough Syrup is the best cure for it. Sold by Smith Bros.

G. B. Hughes will be found at Nale & Dies, where he will sell all undertakers goods at the very lowest prices.

Our stock of millinery surpasses anything of the kind in McKinney including all the latest styles, shapes, &c.

M. ARON & Co.

The devil is to pay in congress, but it will pay the readers of THE DEMOCRAT to call at the nickel store to buy their goods.

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Notice Delegates.

MERIT, Tex., March 7, 1894.
Editor Democrat:

Please notify the delegates through THE DEMOCRAT, who are coming to the county alliance, that they can make connection at Farmersville on the East Line road with the Santa Fe and will come to Merit on the 4 o'clock passenger where they will find conveyance to the county alliance.

J R SELF, Sec'y.

Try J J Rodger for the best goods and full weight in groceries West Virginia St.

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Important Notice.

Parties indebted to E. N. McAulay & Bro, will please call and settle. The business of the old firm must be cleared up at once. Don't forget this matter.

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Saturday, May 5th, The Day Set to Hold The Populist County Nominating Convention.

The populist executive committee met at THE DEMOCRAT office Saturday, March 3, for the purpose of calling a county nominating convention. The roll was called and the following gentlemen reported:

Chairman J. W. Gray, W. W. Chapman, E C. Forbes, R. T. Spivey (proxy for J. H King), L. Nelson, J. Y. Bowen, R. D. Hickman, P. A. Prewitt, W. R Todd, A. L. Graves, G. M. D Williams, J. F. Cave, E. P. Cox, (proxy for Chas. Snyder,) W. T. Hale and F. M. Collinsworth.

The chairman briefly stated the objects of the meeting.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

It was moved and seconded to hold the county nominating convention on Saturday, May 4, 1894. A substitute motion was offered fixing the first Saturday in June as the date. The substitute was voted down and the original motion carried,

A motion was carried to appoint a committee to secure a place of meeting for the convention, also to procure suitable headquarters for the party during the coming campaign.

On motion a new finance committee was elected as follows: W. T. Hale, G. M. D Williams and F. C Thompson.

By motion the precinct chairmen were requested to call their precinct conventions not later than April 28.

According to the basis of representation adopted at the January meeting the several precincts will be entitled to representation as follows:

No. 1	25
" 2	22
" 3	8
" 4	6
" 5	10
" 6	5
" 7	8
" 8	8
Total	92

In addition to this each school district organization will be entitled to elect one delegate to the county convention.

On motion a mass meeting was called to meet in McKinny on March 5 to organize a central populist club.

A lengthy discussion was indulged in as to the best means of ascertaining who would make the most availible candidates for the various county offices, which finally resulted in the adoption of a resolution as follows:

Resovled: That we recommend to the several local organizations who may know of suitable men who would accept nominations, that they pass resolutions recommending the same and publish in THE DEMOCRAT.

On motion the committee adjourned.

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MCKINNEY, Tex., March 5.—A monthly educational journal will make its debut here in a few days under the management of teachers and pupils of the McKinney collegiate institute.

This evening Marshal Sam Burke and Constable Joe McKinney arrested and jailed two young men who gave their names as J. W. Jones and Will Powell. They are charged with playing a trick on a farmer and relieving him of $30.

Powell claims to be from Atlanta, Ga., and Jones from Van Alsytne, Tex. One $20 bill and one $10 confederate bill was found on their persons, also $12.50 in United States currency.

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From Fayburg.

FAYBURG, Tex., March 6, '94.

According to a call issued some time ago, the populist voters of Snow Hill voting precinct met at 7 o'clock on Saturday night at Snow Hill in order to organize for the coming campaign. The house was called to order by W. W. Maddox, a prominent reformer of Blue Ridge precinct. By an unanimous vote the said W. W. Maddox was elected chairman until the coming campaign meets. A club was then organized with 9 members. W. W. Maddox, chairman; Arch McDonald sec'y. The club will meet every fourth Saturday night in each month. The club was addressed by W. W. Maddox in his customary and eloquent manner. J. Stinebaugh from Meritt being present, was called upon to reply to Mr. Maddox. It was decided not to have any discussion as it was late and J. Stinbaugh challenged chairman Maddox for a joint discussion at the next meeting, the subject proposed was the subtreasury plan and the people's party platform. Come everybody

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Dallas News.]

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HON. A. H. LIVINGSTON.

HE PRESENTS HIS REASONS FOR LEAVING THE DEMOCRATIC PARTY.

The Party Lash Has Lost Its Power.—Will Vote and Support the Populists With All His Vigor.

In a recent issue of this paper, we published a short dispatch from West Plains, Mo, announcing the fact that Hon. A. H. Livingston had left the democratic party and joined the populists. The following is his letter defining his action:

"The course I now take is not without due and earnest consideration. I am not and never shall be a candidate for any office, and I am absolutely free, and I believe independent enough in all things to pursue that course dictated to me by sound judgment and conscience, and being wholly guided by these principles I propose in the future to affiliate with the populist party. The object of every just government should be the welfare of the whole people, and, if any especial favors are shown to any class, they should be extended to that class that need help and consideration. While we live in a land of boasted freedom and equal rights to all, yet in no government have pretensions more false ever been made.

In no government of any kind, for centuries past, have the great masses been more urgently, cruelly and inhumanly treated than in the United States. In place of having a Republican government in fact, as our fathers decreed, we have a gigantic aristocracy that is ruling and controlling the government with a power as absolute as was ever vested in the hands of the most cruel despot. This state of affairs is to-day staring the American people in the face. Thousands see it now that never saw it before.

As a democrat from my infancy, I had honestly believed that whenever the democratic party should be placed in full control of the government that the crying wrongs inflicted on the people would be righted, but the first step taken and the first act performed was to strike down with a tyrant's hand the money of the people. Why was this done? Because the money power of the land decreed it. Because it has a death grip on the vitals of the people. Because, if silver, the money of our fathers, was restored to the people, their debt-paying power would be increased and their burdens lightened. This death giving blow comes under the sway of Democracy Under and in the name of Democracy we have the humiliating aspect of a President, in order to carry through the behests of this money power, bartering and trading with great senators for their votes in betrayal of the people, and giving as a consideration therefor of patronage and office. What chagrin and disgust to an American citizen, and especially to a Jeffersonian democrat! Such a course is alarming to every patriot in the land, and should cause every citizen to shudder. There is a remedy and it is in the power of the masses. But when the people cry out against these great wrongs, grow restless and discontented, the howl goes out of Wall street that anarchy and communism are abroad in the land. The avarice and greed of the favored few, their heartless cruelty and inhumanity to their fellows, have bred the spirit of desperation and communism in our country.

The American people have been patient and long suffering but, however much the petted and pampered few may wail, the poor men of America will have a government of the people. When this happy day shall come, the spirit of anarchy and communism if it exists, will have fled the land. But I am firmly convinced this day will never be reached under the guidance of either of the two old parties as now constituted. The republican party under a reign of thirty years established this condition of affairs, and the Cleveland administration serves at once to perpetuate it. The populist party starts out on the right road, and I for one

rors and stings of the party lash have lost their powers over me, and I propose to vote for and support the populist party with all my vigor.

The appalling wrongs inflicted upon the common people is enough to drive any conscientious man to this course Even our own great state under the control of the democratic party for a quarter of a century is dominated and controlled by corporation. The party in this state under corrupt and family rule has betrayed the people and the state government is a matter of bargain and sale. No law is passed or officer elected unless sanctioned by corporation. Unlimited party power has brought it about. The contagion of venalty and corruption has reached the municipal and county governments. In the name of religion the most shocking barbarities have been perpetrated; so in the name of Democracy the greatest wrongs have been inflicted on the people.

The time has come in this state that justice and right demand a change and it will come.

In leaving the democratic party I entertain the highest regards for the great masses of the party, because I believe them to be right at heart, but wrong in practice.

Respectfully,
A. H. LIVINGSTON."

Democratic Prayer.

Almighty, All Obstinate, and Nearly All Fat Cleveland, our great bunch-bellied political god, again we bow before thee in humble submission. Each day, as this world, which was made for thee, is hurled through ethereal space faster than a hungry democrat can run for an office we have additional proofs of thy greatness. We have read thy message. We have gulped it all down, and now we lie stretched out in the sun of political hope, like a snake that has swallowed a large frog, waiting for it to digest. Yes, almighty and powerful master, there is a panic throughout the land. It is spreading disaster everywhere. It has knocked the everlasting stuffin' out of the seat of our pants, and left its imprint all over our clothes, and the clothes of our children and our children's children. The gentle zephyrs of the summer's breeze flit familiarly through the holes in the knees of our pants, and playfully kiss the cuticle, where the gentle and patient wood tick and festive flea has just finished a sumptious meal. This is all very well in the summer time, but we would thank thee, our most adored political father, if thou wouldst stop the panic before the keen blasts of winter have a chance to peep into the open windows of our pants. We know, most respected and adored master, that thou art wise, or how couldst thou know we had a panic? In thy great wisdom thou hast found it out before it was three months old, and straightway throwest down thy fishing pole kickest over thy bait can, and settest to work to snatch the panic baldheaded. We thank thee, most kind master, for even mentioning us in thy message. We thank thee for thy desire and thy efforts to give us a "good dollar." We implore thee to make it better than anybody's dollar. The more it will buy the better it is. Oh, great and mighty Cleveland, if thou couldst make it buy ten bushels of wheat and fifty pounds of cotton, we know it would be good When we got hold of one we would know how to appreciate it. "There is no excellence without great labor." The more labor it takes to get a dollar the more "excellent" it is. Mighty master make it good. Make it better. Squeeze into it more labor, more hogs, more cattle, more grain. It will cost thee nothing. We will furnish thee "more labor, more hogs, more cattle, and more grain." Squeeze them into the dollar. It will put money into thy pocket, and money in thy pocket will put feed in thy paunch. We thank thee, most excellent master, for thy friendly interest in behalf of the bankers. Make their paths easy and their burdens light

lars and the number of their mortgages. Give them gold and demolish silver with the lightning of thy wrath. Help us, oh, mighty Cleveland to love our enemies—all but the populists. If England smites us on one cheek let us turn unto her the other. If she asks for our coat let us give her our cloak also. But whatever thou doest, most excellent, adored and mighty master, don't fail to help us to put the populists to flight. They press us sorely on every side. They laugh us to scorn and make faces at us in public places. In the last campaign we accused them of deception and lying, and now they have proved by the words of thine own mouth, most adored master, that we have lied. It is written, "Oh, that mine enemy had written a book," but that is just what is the matter with us. Our enemies have written too many books. And they increase not only in knowledge but in numbers. The political midwives which thou hast sent out to slay all the new born male babes are either hoodooed are don't arrive on time. And this increase is a sore vexation. Besides, no people in all the world, have such wonderful memories. They have recorded every promise we have ever made. They point to the McKinley bill as the "culminating atrocity," remind us of our promise to repeal it, and exclaim, aha! They remind us of our "chance" and call out attention to you as you fish at Buzzard's Bay or shoot snipe at Hog Island. They recall our sacred promises of better times and then point to the numerous business failures, the shutting down of factories and mines, the thousands of unemployed, the low price of wheat and cotton and cattle and hogs, and the general scarcity of money. They sorely perplex us, and we know not whither to turn. Oh, most excellent and mighty master, is there no "balm in Gilead?" Is there no place where we can turn our face to hide our shame? If we had an office we could stand it without complaint. We would eat our pie and let the heathen rage. We could buy more with our salary and would scoop in the property while it was low. But the panic which it has pleased thy greatness to create has hit us as hard as it has the populists. Our houses and vineyards are mortgaged and our daughters are given in bondage. Our creditors dun us and we have not the wherewith to appease their wants. We know there is something the matter but we don't try to know what it is, for it would be treason to you and to our great party. Thy ways, oh, mighty Cleveland, are past finding out. But we trust thee. Take us under the wing of thy protection. Do with us as seemeth best in thy sight. If the bankers need our property give it to them. But this we ask of thee. Deliver us from the populists. Issue an edict compelling the men whom we elected to office to take the stump and put them to flight. In vain have we appealed to them, but they eat their pie and wink at each other. They smell the battle afar off, and they seem to want to get father off. Bring out the whip of thy wrath, most worshipful master, and scourge their cowardly legs till they can stand on a platform and tell the people they are democrats, whether they can give a reason or not. Again we ask thee to take us under the wings of thy care. Deliver us from the populists, help us to bear up under the panic, encourage our political faith, feed our prejudices with the daily bread of misrepresentation, deliver us from the populists, help us to hate the republicans, deliver us from the populists, and thine shall be the praise—if the populists don't get us. Amen.—W.S. Morgan.

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The following proof of the absolute correctness of these prophecies is given below as taken from the New York Sun

Important additions were made to-day by the market records of two staple products, namely, silver and wheat Both sold at the lowest price ever known since statistics of their value have been compiled. The steady decline in the price of silver has apparently induced the Indian council to accept the best bids for its bills that can be obtained, for it allotted to-day the largest amount it has sold in many weeks, namely, eight lakhs of rupees at a material concession from the last price, and considerably below the figure that the Indian government attempted to fix as the value of the rupee some months ago

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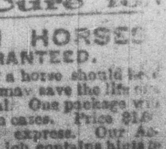
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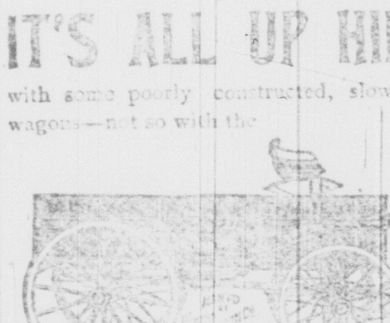
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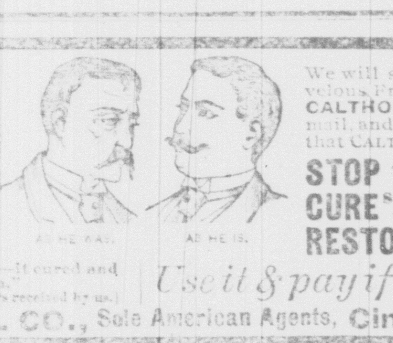
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